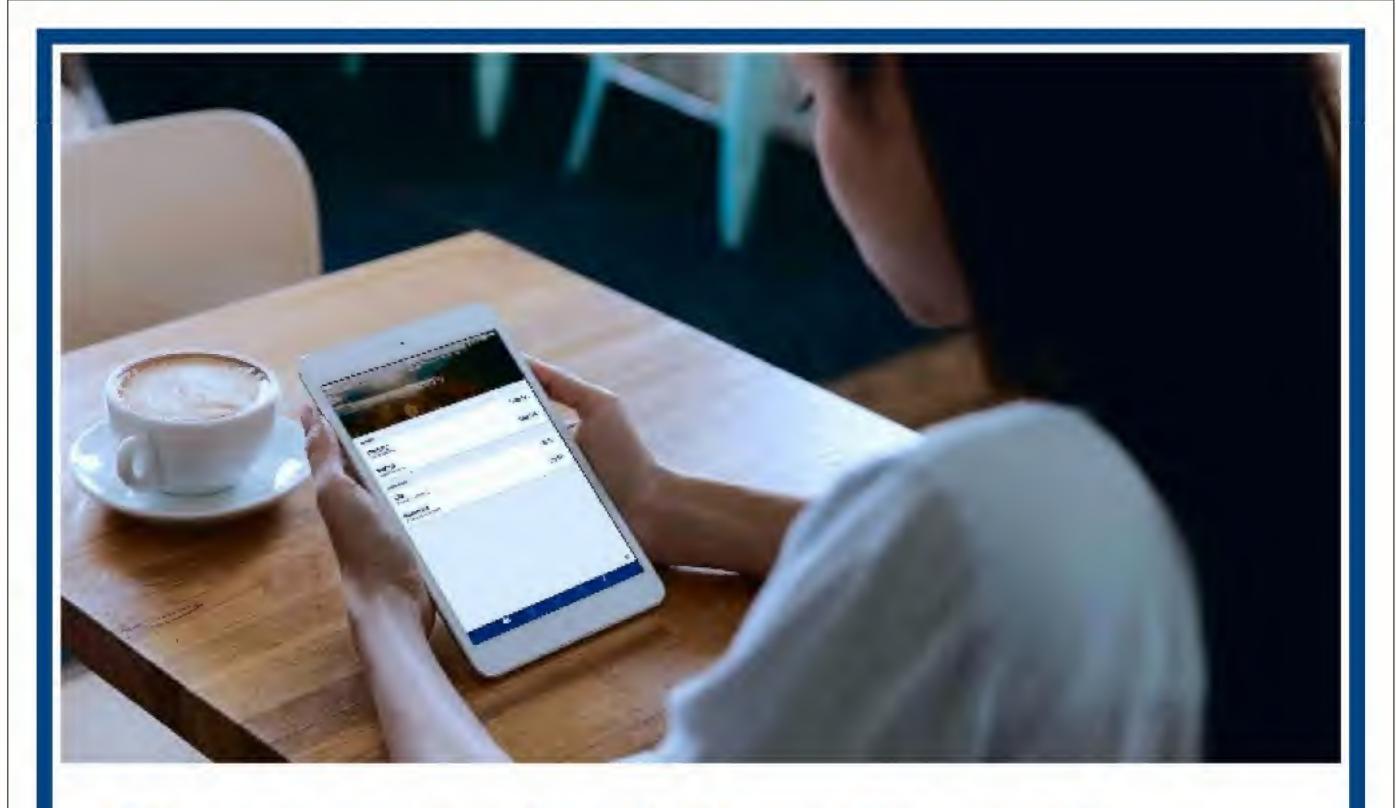




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Foundation floundering CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD Goal to raise

more funds for kids in need



Ryan Tumilty Metro Edmonton

A foundation started by the Edmonton Catholic School Board three years ago to raise funds for special projects has yet to attract the money it needs to stand on its own, and it's unclear if it will before seed funding runs out.

Since its inception, the school board has given \$718,000 to the Edmonton Catholic School Board Foundation with an additional \$230,000 to come. The foundation was created to raise. money for students in need and new initiatives in schools.

So far, the foundation has raised \$606,0000 itself.

The board's original commitment was to provide \$1 million over four years, minus a certain percentage of what the foundation was able to raise on its own.

Marc Barylo, the foundation's executive director, said it takes time for a charity to attract donors, but is confident they'll get there.

"There is no doubt in my mind," he said. "There is a real interest in the people I speak with in what we are trying to

The foundation helps dis-

advantaged students with fees for field trips and after-school

It also helps fund capital projects at schools, like chapels and prayer space, along with a prekindergarten program. Between March and December this year it intends to disperse \$310,000 to these programs.

Barylo said he hopes to build a group of donors to support the foundation, but also believes the board should consider playing a role after the initial four-year commitment runs out.

"I hope that they would be prime supporter, but I like to look to the marketplace first," he said.

School board chair Marilyn Bergstra was one of two trustees last week who voted for a failed motion to discuss the foundation before the last installment was paid.

Bergstra said the board knew the foundation would need a boost to get going, but is concerned it's still dependent.

"We know that foundations need seed money to start and so that was never raised as an issue," she said.

"My concern was that there wasn't a growing independence."

She said continuing to fund the foundation after the term expires would be difficult.

"I would not enter that decision lightly, because at what point do you say that the foundation should stand on its own?"







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UofC pays off hackers



Helen Pike Metro | Calgary

It came down to the choice between losing world-renowned research or ponying up the cash for the hackers' lock and key - and the University of Calgary is comfortable with their decision.

On May 28, the University of Calgary fell victim to a vicious malware attack. Very complex encryption keys put in place by the online thugs locked their systems down, and as a result their email was malfunctioning. But as IT professionals tried to gain control back, a code made it quite clear that if they wanted access to their valued data, they'd have to pay \$20,000.

"We looked at the potential in the future that we could have someone come to the forefront and say they had lost critical life's work research data," said Linda Dalgetty, vicepresident of finance and services. "We wanted to leverage all of our options, so if we had the encryption keys...someone would not lose their work."

That money came from their general operational budget and was a small price to pay for some of the important data they keep. The university is now in the long and meticulous process of evaluating the decryption keys. Calgary police's cyber crimes division has been on the case since day one.

Transformation of Buena Vista delayed by a year

PROPERTY

124 Street business area sitting empty



Ryan Tumilty Metro Edmonton

The developers behind the overhaul of the historic Buena Vista building on 124 Street have pushed back their construction schedule by a year.

Henry Edgar, a vicepresident with Edgar Developments, confirmed the company will start construction later this year, 12 months past its initial planned start date, which would mean a building ready for occupancy in 2018.

"The project is going to move ahead and we plan to start construction later this summer," he said.

The plan, which council approved last year, calls for the building is to keep its historic facade, but add a 25-storey tower on top. The existing tenants were moved out so construction work could start last year, but it has yet to

Edgar said leaving the building empty wasn't the intention, but they have to keep their eyes on the economics of the project.



The shops along the ground floor of the Buena Vista were closed in advance of construction that has yet to begin. KEVIN THONG/METRO

have the vacant units for that period of time, but sometimes the economics of these projects mean that is what has to happen," he said.

Edgar Developments is also behind the Hendrix, a rental tower further east in Oliver set to open this fall. He said overall they believe the Edmonton market is a strong place to invest.

"We're very, very confident "It wasn't our intention to in the Edmonton marketplace

for rental units. There is a big, pent up demand for new, modern product."

Jeff McLaren, executive director of the 124 Street Business Association, said it's disappointing to lose the businesses and the activity.

"It's frustrating that is sitting empty for over six, seven months now and possibly for a year," he said.

In addition to the businesses moved out of the Buena

The project is going to move ahead and we plan to start construction later this summer.

Henry Edgar, VP with Edgar Developments

Vista building, the Mountain Equipment Co-Op Store is expected to relocate later this year. McLaren said that's a lot of foot traffic not on the

"It was one of the first areas of revitalization for 124 Street and now it's sitting empty," he said. "Everything is sort of halted right now and we have a lot of dead empty space. There is not much we can do, but it is concerning."

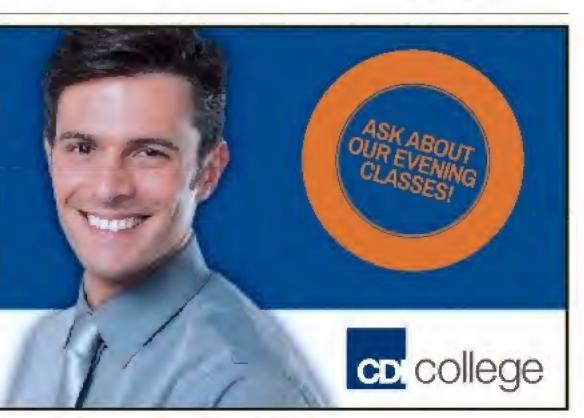
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The ant population is booming — but as long as you're not standing on an ant hill, they won't be very interested in you, says Gladys Schultz of Edmonton Exterminators Ltd. FLIKE

Edmonton bugging out as ants increase

INFESTATION

Warm weather is ideal for building nests



Alex Boyd Metro Edmonton

Ants are on the march in Edmonton, with some exterminators reporting an increase of as much as 50 per cent. Gladys Schultz, owner of Ed-

Gladys Schultz, owner of Edmonton Exterminators Ltd., said the phone started ringing at the beginning of May.

"There's lots," she said. "And in our business, we're going to see them."

The tiny pests in question are what she calls ground or field ants, the tiny black or red insects particularly fond of lawns and other grassy spaces. Biological services technician Mike Jenkins, the city's resident bug expert, credits their success to the recent warm, dry weather.

"Those are precisely the conditions that allow the ants to thrive. So they're building their nests in the dry soil, and when it's wet or cold they're not able to be as active or dig their nests nearly as well," he said.

According to Schultz, they aren't that interested in people ("unless you're standing on an ant hill, let's put it that way," she said) or sneaking into your house, they pose a risk to vegetation.

"They ruin your lawn," she said. "They'll kill the grass if you don't get rid of them." she said.

Jenkins said that the while ants don't actually eat grass, they tend to snip away at any plants near their nest, which can lead to a patchy lawn.

He's not worried about the spike in population though,

50%

Exterminators are reporting an increase of as much as 50 per cent for ground and field ants.

pointing out that their main sources of food is other insects, because they need the protein to feed their young.

"When they do that to other insects we consider pests they're actually quite beneficial," he said.

However, he adds that ants also quite fond of the sugar they get from plant nectar, or from the bodily secretions of aphids, and they can get territorial about their sources, which sometimes makes them inclined to bite.

"Having ants around can be a bit of a mixed blessing depending on your circumstances," he said.

PHILANTHROPY

One million dollars raised for daycare on NorQuest campus

An Edmonton philanthropy group wants to make sure college students don't have to choose between looking after their kids and getting a post-secondary education.

NorQuest College's 1000 Women: A Million Possibilities movement recently wrapped up a \$1 million campaign to fund a new childcare center on campus.

"(Childcare) is a barrier that can be the difference between a student completing their education or dropping out," said Sheila Witwicky, chair of the groups advisory committee.

She points out that NorQuest, a community college that sees just over 10,000 students walk through the doors every year, has a unique student population.

Just over 60 per cent of students are women, and almost the same number were born outside Canada. About 40 per cent of the population have at least one dependant. "It's also a population of students, I believe, who are so focused on their studies," she said.

"They're focused on getting an education because that means they'll get a better job or a different job and that means providing a better life for themselves and their families," she said.

The group has now kicked off another fundraising campaign to provide bursaries to make the center more affordable for students. ALEX BOYD/ FOR METRO



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Climate change bill passes

POLITICS

Opposition amendments rejected by NDP government

Premier Rachel Notley's government used its majority in the legislature Tuesday to pass legislation that includes a carbon tax and completes the first stage of Alberta's landmark strategy to combat climate change.

The legislation gives legal teeth to the multibillion-dollar tax that is to take effect Jan. 1 and will raise the price of heating bills and gasoline as an incentive to go green.

It also lowers the small-business tax rate to two per cent from three and establishes an agency to fund energy savings programs.

The final tally was 42-39.

After the results were announced, Notley shook hands with government house leader Brian Mason and exchanged a thumbs-up with Environment Minister Shannon Phillips.

"I'm extremely proud of this



The Alberta legislature is now on recess for the summer, with the government's climate change legislation the last piece passed, METRO FILE

piece of legislation and extremely proud of this government's climate leadership plan," Notley told the house just prior to the bill's passage.

"Action by this government with respect to climate change is one that is long, long, long overdue in this province."

All opposition members —

the Wildrose party, the Progressive Conservatives, David Swann of the Liberals and Greg Clark of the Alberta Party — voted against it.

It was, at times, a bitter fight in the house.

Politicians stayed up until almost dawn Tuesday debating amendments. Opposition members said they agreed with the concept of taking action on climate change, but said tighter controls were needed on raising, reporting and spending the money.

The levy is expected to bring in \$3 billion in 2017-18. The government has promised the proceeds will be used entirely for in-



I'm extremely proud of this piece of legislation.

Premier Rachel Notley

itiatives to help Alberta become more environmentally friendly from small home-based changes to multibillion-dollar public transportation projects.

Notley's NDP government used its majority to reject all proposed changes except for one. It accepted a Progressive Conservative amendment to issue receipts if items are confiscated during searches to ensure compliance with the act.

The government is also working to cap oilsands emissions, reduce methane emissions and phase out coal-fired electricity by 2030.

The carbon levy is to take effect Jan. 1. Gasoline at the pumps will rise by 4.49 cents a litre and diesel will go up 5.35 cents a litre.

Anyone earning more than \$51,250 a year will not be eligible for a rebate. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Strike life balance: Carney

Young people at the start of their careers must learn to balance their own hopes and ambitions with the needs of the world around them, says Bank of England Governor Mark Carney.

Speaking at the University of Alberta, the Edmonton-born central banker said previous financial crises have been partly caused by business forgetting its role in society.

"The severity of the financial crisis showed what happens when those responsibilities are not widely held," Carney said in a prepared text for a speech at spring coavocation.

"In the run-up to the crisis, banking became about banks not businesses; transactions not relations; counterparties not clients. The crisis undermined trust, and with it the social capital needed for markets to be effective."

Carney said businesses must embrace a larger social pur-

"Profit is no more the purpose of business than is breathing the purpose of living," he said. THE CANADIAN PRESS



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Pets 'stressed' due to fire

ANIMAL CARE

SPCA releases guidelines, key items for the return home



Alex Boyd Metro Edmonton

Wednesday, June 8, 2016

He's back home in Fort Mc-Murray, but when he's out for a walk and finds a burnt pine needle on the ground, Cuddles, a four-year-old poodle mix, still has to stop and sniff it.

"It's a little bit of an aftereffect of what he went through. for sure," his owner Julia Evasiuk said.

"He was really stressed driving through the smoke. He was worried and crying," she said, referring to the day she evacuated Fort McMurray with her two dogs and rabbit.

"The moment we got on the highway I unrolled the window and he would not stop smelling the air to make sure the smoke was gone."

Lingering anxiety is one of the challenges Fort McMurray



Cuddles, 4, is back home in Fort McMurray but is still worried about smoke, his owner says. KEVIN TUONG/FOR METRO

pet owners say comes with returning to their city with animals. While essential services for humans got back up and running quickly, pet stores were a bit slower.

Evasiuk said she arrived with the recommended two weeks of

It's a little bit of an after-effect of what he went through.

Julia Evasiuk

supplies for herself, but brought enough dog food for a month, just in case.

She adds that she knows people who have been reluctant to return with short-nosed breeds like pugs, because of air quality concerns.

The Fort McMurray SPCA has released a tip sheet for pet owners returning home hoping to address some of these concerns. They're also giving out pet-specific re-entry kits, with items like pet food, collars and pet litter.

"I think that just as people that reside in the community are going to come back when they feel its safe, they are taking the same position with their pets," said executive director Tara Clarke.

"We want to make sure that pet owners are able to keep their pet within their family."

The tip sheet advises that animals stay indoors as much as possible to stay away from contaminated areas, avoid highenergy activities and stay hydrated.

Clarke said that although many dogs seem to be able to eat almost anything without negative affects, the boil-water advisory also applies to them.

Boil-water advisories are enacted because of the detection of e-coli in the water, so the fact that its potentially harmful means you want to make sure you're providing boiled water for them, as well."

Thieves snatch trailer

Alberta RCMP say a family displaced by the Fort McMurray wildfire has been targeted by thieves.

Officers say the evacuated family had been staying at a campground at Gull Lake, north of Red Deer, when their travel trailer was stolen over the weekend.

It was later recovered but items important to the family were missing, including heirloom jewellery and children's bikes.

The family was among more than 80,000 people forced to flee a fire that spread into Fort McMurray five weeks ago and destroyed nearly 10 per cent of the city.

Many residents have returned but some are not able

Mounties are asking anyone with information about the stolen goods to come forward.

"This situation is traumatizing to a family who have already faced a traumatic event," said Sgt. Whitney Benoit. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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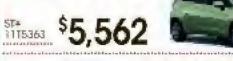


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CLOTHING DRIVE

Drop Your Gonch drive aims to collect 2,000 pairs



Kevin Maimann Metro Edmonton

If you're cleaning out your closet to make a clothing donation this summer, keep in mind that underwear is a necessity for people in need.

The Bissell Centre launched its third annual Drop Your Gonch drive Monday, aiming to collect 2,000 pairs of new men's and women's underwear for homeless Edmontonians.

"I think what a lot of people don't realize is a clean, new pair of underwear brings a good sense of hygiene, self esteem and confidence — especially for people on the street who are looking to transition out of homelessness," said Bissell Centre spokesperson Darren Brennan.

"And we're finding as well that people are not donating



The Bissell Centre launched its annual Drop Your Gonch drive Monday. CONTRIBUTED

underwear to us. It's usually used T-shirts or jeans and jackets and shoes ... but underwear is the most requested clothing item from people on the streets."

Brennan said the drive has grown every year and the word is starting to get out.

If the goal of 2,000 pairs is reached, that will last the Bissell Centre until the end of summer.

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Brennan stressed there is a particularly large need for women's underwear.

"When people are donating clothing, usually they're thinking about the men who are living on the street, when actually women make up 30 per cent of our homeless population," he said. "So, as we are still in need for men's underwear, we're

greatly in need for women's undergarments and bras."

Underwear can be dropped off at any of the Bissell Centre's eight locations, or during the drive's wrap-up event at Toyota, 5210 Calgary Tr., on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Monetary donations can also be made online through the Bissell Centre website.

Parents faked blood sugar tests: Doctor

A doctor has testified that the parents of a teen who died of starvation and complications from untreated diabetes were providing fake blood-sugar readings while caring for him after his initial diagnosis.

Dr. Daniel Metzger from the British Columbia Children's Hospital told the couple's trial on Tuesday that they refused to believe their son had diabetes and had to be pressured by child and family services to treat him before he could be released from hospital in 2000.

Emil Radita, 59, and his wife Rodica, 53, have pleaded not guilty to first-degree murder in the death of 15-year-old Alexandru, who weighed less than 37 pounds when he died in Calgary in 2013.

A judge, who is hearing the case without a jury, has yet to decide if evidence dealing with the family's time in B.C. will be admitted.

Metzger, a pediatric endocrin-

ologist, was one of the first physicians to deal with Alexandru and his parents when the boy was diagnosed at about age two.

It was discovered in March 2001 that the parents appeared to be taking their own bloodsugar readings and calling them in to the hospital, Metzger said. A check of the blood-sugar meter confirmed that something wasn't right.

"At one point, the blood sugars were very consistently the same. I've been doing this for 23 years. We have a lot of teenagers who fabricate blood sugars. You start to recognize patterns," he said.

"I concluded that somebody was probably falsifying the blood sugars — perhaps doing their own finger pokes, because you have to put a sample on the meter to get a reading."

The results from a non-diabetic person were being recorded, Metzger concluded.

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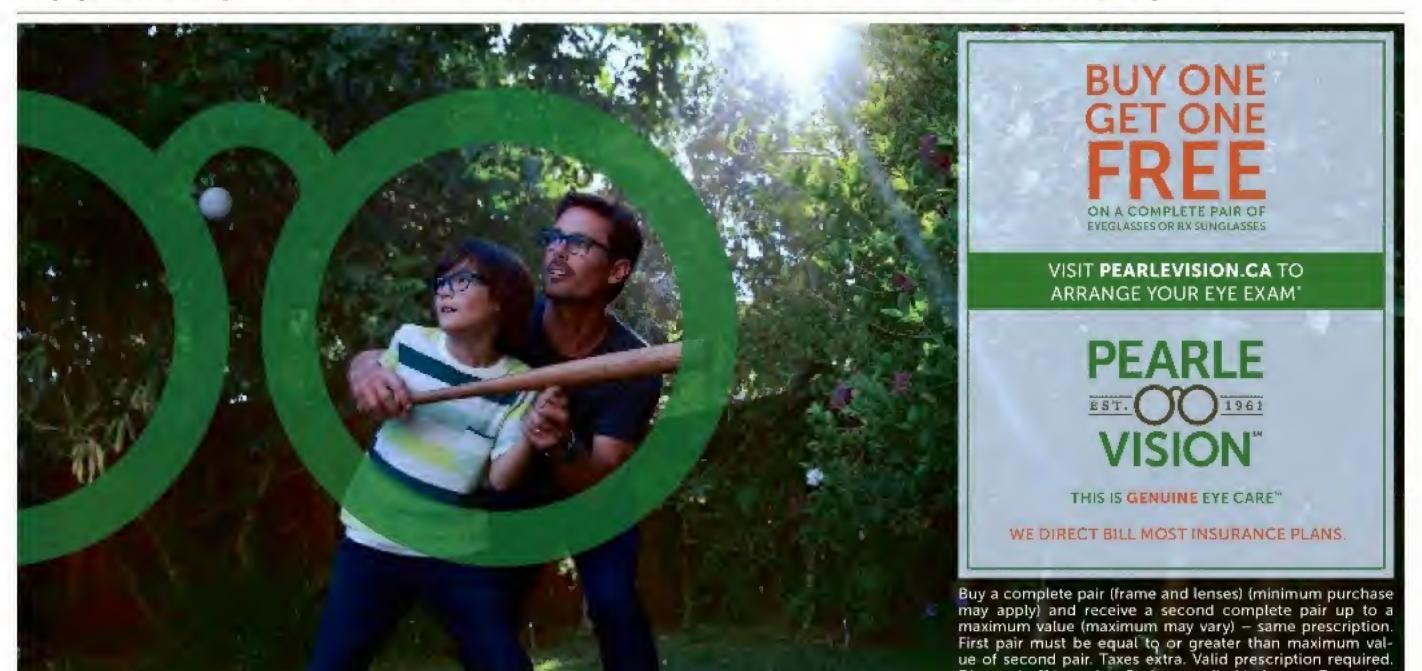
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Dr. Daniel Metzger





Passengers at Toronto's Pearson airport in 2007. Canadian airports face longer security lines without more funding, say experts. J.P. MOCZULSKI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Brace for longer lines, flyers

AIRPORTS

Feds urged to boost funding for screening passengers

Canadians risk flight delays and even longer airport security lines unless Ottawa boosts screening funding to address growing passenger levels, industry experts are warning.

"It is on the cusp of being a

real problem, with serious, serious delays," says John Gibson, chairman of the Canadian Airports Council.

Canadian airports aren't currently facing the chronic disruptions that are increasingly angering U.S. passengers. Still, lines have steadily grown over the last few years as Canadian funding hasn't kept pace with the 21 per cent increase in passenger growth over the last five years.

The Canadian Air Transport Security Authority (CATSA) says, on average, it screens 85 per cent of passengers within 15 minutes.

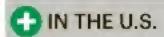
But waits can be much longer at some large airports during peak travel times, with additional pressure potentially coming during the rush of summer travel and the number of passengers is growing by 3.5 per cent each year.

If nothing is done to address the bigger volumes, Gibson said, passenger waits could regularly reach an hour.

The number of security screeners has in the past fluctuated depending on the size of government funding. More than 6,000 agents screened 58 million passengers last year.

The agency says it's doing the best it can with the resources it's provided by the government. An extra \$29 million in the Liberal government's first budget will help to maintain the current threshold this year.

"Based on the long-term funding that we have right now, if we don't get additional funding then, yes (lines will be longer)," said spokesman Mathieu Laro-CQUE: THE CANADIAN PRESS



Significant progress has been made on shortening screening lines since airlines reported thousands of frustrated passengers were missing flights, the head of the Transportation Security Administration said Tuesday. The agency said it is adding more lanes and increasing staffing. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ASSISTED DYING

Senators balk at limits

The federal government's proposed new law on medically assisted dying is entering uncharted parliamentary waters, where the only certainty seems to be that it will not come out in the same shape in which it goes in.

Final debate on Bill C-14 begins Wednesday in the Senate, where the government no longer has any control over independent-minded, less-partisan senators who appear determined to amend the controversial legislation.

Among other things, senators are likely to amend the bill to ensure that all grievously ill Canadians are entitled to an assisted death, not just those who are near death.

But no one knows what will happen if the government, which has rejected any substantive amendments thus far, refuses to accept Senate amendments. Will senators acquiesce? Will they fight to defeat the bill? "I don't know — that's the simplest answer," said Sen. George Baker, who is sponsoring the bill in the Senate. THE CANADIAN PRESS





WOODSTOCK, ONT. STUDENTS STAGE MASS WALKOUT OVER

SUICIDE RESPONSE Avery

Greenwood, left, and Jordan McNeillie write their names on the sidewalk in the town square during a rally in Woodstock, Ont., after they and hundreds of their classmates walked out of school on Tuesday to raise awareness of a suicide crisis that is gripping the small Ontario community. Five people aged 19 and younger in the city of roughly 38,000 have killed themselves since the beginning of 2016, police have said, noting 36 more have expressed suicidal thoughts or attempted suicide in the region. GEOFF ROBINS/

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Condemn sting, lawyer says

Illegal police tactics during an undercover operation that led a couple to be found guilty of terrorism-related offences endanger public rights, shock the conscience of Canadians and must be strongly condemned, says a statement of defence filed in B.C. Supreme Court.

John Nuttall and his common-law wife Amanda Korody were found guilty last year, but their convictions are on hold

RCMP entrapped their clients into planting what they believed were pressure-cooker bombs at the B.C. legislature.

The Mounties used "deceit and tricks" throughout the elaborate sting, read the statement of defence.

Nuttall's lawyer, Marilyn Sandford, told the court Tuesday that police aided and abetted terrorist activity by helping

while their lawyers argue the the couple design, construct and transport the homemade explosives.

> "It matters not that the RCMP knew the devices would not explode," she said. "The RCMP knowingly facilitated terrorist activity."

> Nuttall and Korody were arrested in July 2013 after an undercover operation that began five months earlier. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Clinton claims the nomination

She becomes first woman to lead major political party

Claiming her place in history, Hillary Clinton declared victory Tuesday night in her bruising battle for the Democratic presidential nomination, becoming the first woman to lead a major American political party and casting herself as the beneficiary of generations who fought the six states voting Tuesday. for equality.

ing sure there are no ceilings. no limits on any of us," Clinton said during an emotional rally in Brooklyn, eight years to the has a narrow path to the nominaday after she ended her first tion — and sharpen her contrasts in wounds — and reminding failed White House run. As she with presumptive Republican us daily just how great he is." took the stage to raucous cheers, she paused to relish the moment, flinging her arms wide on both, using her own loss in out among the Republicans. GOP and beaming broadly

Clinton had already secured backers. the delegates needed for the nomination, according to an As- our heart into a cause or a can- endorsement. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Hillary Clinton arrives onstage during a primary night rally in Brooklyn, N.Y., on Tuesday, DREW ANGERER/GETTY IMAGES

look ahead to the battle that

She was biting and sarcastic

as she took on Trump, accus-

ing him of wanting to win "by

stoking fear and rubbing salt

Even as the Democratic race

ments about a Hispanic judge,

sociated Press tally. She added to didate you believe in and come her totals with victories in New up short," she said. "I know lersey and New Mexico, two of that feeling well. But as we

Clinton faces a two-front chalawaits, let's remember all that "This campaign is about mak- lenge in the coming days. She unites us." must appeal to the enthusiastic supporters of her rival Bernie Sanders — who insists he still nominee Donald Trump.

She sought to make progress was ending, new turmoil broke 2008 to connect with Sanders' leaders recoiled at Trump's com-

"It never feels good to put with one senator even pulling his

murder convictions liudge on Tuesday threw out the murder convictions of a young Detroit man who pleaded guilty to killing four people when he was 14, a

emarkable turnaround in a ase that has been in doubt or years after a professional hit man stepped forward and took responsibility for the slayings at a drug den. Judge Brian Sullivan cted at the request of the

IN BRIEF

backs off man's four

Vayne County prosecutor's office and lawyers for Davontae Sanford. HE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Car bomb attack kills 11 people in Istanbul

A car bomb hit a police vehicle in Istanbul during the morning rush hour on Tuesday, killing 11 people and wounding 36, the fourth bombing to hit the city this year.

There was no immediate laim of responsibility, but Turkey has seen a recent norease in violence linked o Kurdish rebels or to the Islamic State group, which has established cells in the COUNTRY. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Stanford defends its handling of assault

Stanford University "did everything within its power" to ensure justice in the case of a former swimmer sentenced to six months in jail for sexually assaulting an unconscious woman, saying it moved swiftly to investigate and punish the student but that more needs to be done at the school and elsewhere to end sexual violence.

The university banned Brock Brock Turner Turner from campus after THE ASSOCIATED PRESS wrapping up its investigation less than two weeks after the attack, calling it "the barshest sanction that a university can impose on a student," according to a statement released Monday. The school says it reached out to the victim to of the steps it was taking.

"In this case, Stanford University, its students, its police and its staff members did statement said, adding that it was proud of two students who stopped the January 2015

Carl-Fredrik Arndt tells CBS News that he and his friend happened to ride by on bicycles and saw Turner "aggressively



thrusting his hips into her." He said the woman was unconscious the entire time because he checked her and she "didn't move at all." "The guy stood up then we

saw she wasn't moving still. So offer support and inform her we called him out on it. And the guy ran away, my friend Peter chased after him." Arndt said. The 20-year-old Turner was sentenced last week to everything they could," the six months in jail and three years' probation, sparking outrage from critics who say Santa Clara County Judge Aaron Persky was too lenient on a privileged athlete from a top-tier swimming program. Some are urging he be removed from the bench, the associated press

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Afghan migrants stranded in Greece pray in front of a docked ferry at the port of Piraeus near Athens on the first day of the holy fasting month of Ramadan on Monday, petros giannakouris/The associated press



Fatma, who lost her 17-year-old son Mohammed



A member of the medical personnel checks a migrant at the Tripoli port in a shipwreck, shows a picture of him on May 30. after 117 migrants of African origins were rescued by coast guard boats off the coast of Libya on Tuesday, манмир типкіаманмир типкіа/агр/детту імадев

EU seeks to slow migrant arrivals

The European Union unveiled infrastructure and promote plans Tuesday to seal agree- investment. Development and ments with African and Mid-trade incentives would also be dle East countries in an effort offered. to persuade refugees to stay close to home and to discourage people looking for jobs from to reward those third countries

heading to Europe. The European Commission said that the agreements would target countries that migrants and refugees leave, travel through or stay in, often on their way to Europe.

The move is part of the EU's longer-term strategy to tackle the root causes of migration as the 28-nation bloc struggles to manage its biggest refugee emergency since the Second World War, with member states divided over what action to take. EU lawmakers immediately expressed concerns that the deals would be another attempt to outsource the bloc's migrant woes, like the muchmaligned migrant agreement with Turkey.

The commission said the new partnership "compacts" would combine funds to build border, asylum and counter-smuggling cap-

"We propose to use a mix of positive and negative incentives willing to co-operate effectively with us and to ensure that there are consequences for those who do not," European Commission Vice-President Frans Timmer mans told lawmakers in Strasbourg, France.

The main countries concerned are conflict-torn Syria's neighbours Jordan and Lebanon, where around two million Syrian refugees are sheltering. Senegal, Mali, Niger and Nigeria along the key migrant paths through western Africa are also targeted, as is Libya where most migrants leave the African coast by boat for Italy and its northern neighbour Tunisia. Ethiopia, where more than 700,000 refugees are sheltering, is on the list too.

But some lawmakers fear the agreements, which would not be legally binding, might see money and incentives thrown at countries already overwhelmed acities, as well as develop by migrants, the associated press



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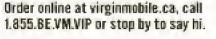






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Jaco Lokker, executive chef and director of culinary operations at the University of Toronto. The university's downtown campus will start running most of its on-campus dining options itself to satisfy a growing appetite for fresh meals, EDUARDO LIMA/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Universities revamp menus

Food providers pressured to offer fresher meal options

Students want healthier meals, and Canadian universities seem to be listening.

The University of Toronto's downtown campus will cut ties with its food service provider, Aramark, this summer and start running most of its on-campus dining options itself.

It's the latest school to satisfy what appears to be an appetite for fresh meals.

It will centralize most food operations and see a main kitchen provide fresh food to some retail outlets that rely heavily on packaged food, said Anne Macdonald, the university's director of ancillary services.

Chefs, for example, will cook soups and sauces from scratch instead of ordering from a production facility, Macdonald said.

Such changes were called for by students, faculty and staff in focus groups, she said.

"This is the voice of the students," said chef Joshna Maharaj, who consults with universities and colleges on menu changes.

"They are increasingly dissatisfied — as they should be — with really highly processed foods and a campus food service that is sort of an irritating afterthought."

Last year, the Canadian Federation of Students voiced concern over the quality of campus food across Canada after images sur-



This is the voice of the students.

Joshna Maharaj

faced of raw meat and mouldy food served at Memorial University in St. John's, N.L.

In Lethbridge, Alta., students voiced their desire for healthier options and local ingredients when the University of Lethbridge debated whether to renew Sodexo's contract in 2012, said James Booth, executive director of ancillary services at the school.

"They're much more astute consumers and they have more refined needs," he said.

Booth compared the evolution of menu offerings to that of residence amenities.

Maharaj said it's important for food service providers to be open to working with their clients to figure out how to better serve their needs.

"I think that they really could be allies and change agents, if we position them well and support them and ask them to do these different things."

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IN BRIEF

CRTC stifles competition, says Maxime Bernier

The CRTC has discouraged competition in the telecommunications sector and should have a far diminished authority over the industry. Conservative leadership candidate Maxime Bernier said Tuesday.

The CRTC has stifled competition with some of its decisions, he said, citing as an example the regulator's ruling last year that requires major. Internet service providers to sell space on their highspeed infrastructure to smaller rivals at wholesale prices.

The CRTC said it had no comment on Bernier's **DOSITION. THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Hudson's Bay scores poorly on cotton-sourcing list

A report released Tuesday ranking the world's largest cotton consumers on the basis of their sourcing practices has put Canada's oldest retailer, Hudson's Bay Company, near the bottom of the list of companies.

The study done for the World Wildlife Fund, Pesticide Action Network UK and Solidaridad examined whether 37 international companies used sustainable cotton sources and ranked them according to a number of factors, including the guidelines used to produce the cotton. Hudson's Bay, the only Canadian retailer on the list, had a total score of one out of a possible 19.5.

The report said HBC's low score did not necessarily indicate that it used unsustainable cotton, but rather reflected a lack of transparency on its practices. THE CANADIAN PRESS.

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ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Calls grow for support from feds

Proponents of natural gasfuelled vehicles say they can help reduce carbon emissions now, but government support is needed to get businesses on board.

The alternative fuel has been around for decades but new technology developments and greater awareness of the need to bring down emissions has led to heightened interest, said Bruce Winchester, executive director of the Canadian Natural Gas Vehicle Alliance.

"We see some opportunities and some real potential, particularly as governments start to look at transportation as a

source of greenhouse gas emissions," he said.

Like most alternative fuels, natural gas still only

makes up a small fraction of the fuel powering all vehicles on the road. But Winchester said he sees potential for growth. in medium- and heavyduty fleet vehicles.

Natural gas has about 15 per cent less greenhouse gas emissions than diesel. That

can translate into a far bigger impact if trucking fleets are converted to use natural gas.

"You're going to get bigger emissions savings when you look at an application that re-

quires a lot of kilometres and therefore a lot of fuel burned," he said. Winchester said

carbon prices are too low or nonexistent to make it enough of a financial incentive to switch, especially with diesel prices at their lowest in

years, which is why the industry is hoping for government help. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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ROSEMARY WESTWOOD ON THE RETURN OF A RALLYING CRY

Rape culture was a slogan that undermined its cause by being too vague. But this week, Dan Turner, the father of sex offender Brock Turner, has upended all that.

"Rape culture" had become a barren phrase.

Jargony and overused, chanted with abandon and often wielded with little insight, it had lately lost much of its meaning. Coined in the 1970s to describe how society implicitly condones sexual violence and blames victims, rape culture was the slogan that undermined its cause by being too vague.

But this week. Dan Turner has upended all that. He has given rape culture, as short-hand, a second wind — and a snappy quote few will soon forget.

Turner is the father of convicted sex offender Brock Turner. In front of a California courtroom, he dismissed his son's groping, fingering, humping and undressing of an unconscious woman behind a dumpster as a mere "20 minutes of action."

And with that, "rape culture" is back in the discourse with renewed vengeance.

Turner's statement spawned stories and made headlines across international media when it hit Twitter this weekend, after his son's conviction on three charges of sexual assault and the ensuing light sentence, a mere six months in jail plus probation.

Rape culture persists when perpetrators receive kid-glove treatment. Like his son, who has never admitted guilt, Turner senior shows zero recognition of the assault

time you miss an opportunity to educate our sons about the concept of consent ... you're perpetuat-



NOT A PARKING-LOT PREDATOR A prosecutor's comment that Brock Turner 'may not look like a rapist,' proves how pervasive misconceptions about sexual assault are, Rosemary Westwood writes.

DAN HONDA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

as such. He calls it the "unfortunate results" of campus binge drinking, deems it one of the "dangers... of sexual promiscuity."

There's nary a whiff of culpability. That makes Turner the poster boy for rape-culture-condoning parents.

Mashable's Chris Taylor explained phenomenon well. "Rape culture is a thing..." he wrote to fellow fathers. "Any time you put the onus on our daughters — don't wear that dress, don't get drunk, don't lead guys on — you're perpetuating it. Any time you make a rape joke, you're perpetuating it. And any

ing it."

Amazingly, Dan A.
Turner not only thinks his
son shouldn't go to jail for
ripping the underwear off
a passed-out woman and
groping and fingering her,
he thinks his son should
educate other students
about sex and booze on
campus.

Leslie Rasmussen,
Brock's friend, was more
explicit in her plea to the
judge: "Brock is not a monster," she said in a statement. "Rape on campus
isn't always because people
are rapists." she added,
ludicrously, explaining that
Brock isn't a real rapist because he didn't kidnap his

victim "as she is walking to her car in a parking lot."

The prosecutor was clearly expecting this kind of retrograde thinking when he told the jury during his closing arguments that Brock "may not look like a rapist," being young, white and privileged, "but he is the face of campus sexual assault."

The need to make that statement is proof of rape culture's existence. But it's Turner, the father, who's given it a new face.

A close runner-up isn't Rasmussen, but the judge. Judge Aaron Perksy clearly felt sorry for the convicted All-American swimmer formerly of Stanford University, the judge's own alma mater. In announcing a sixmonth sentence, compared to the six years requested by the prosecution, Perksy said Turner had "less moral culpability" because he was drunk and let him off easy because jail would be "severe." For that, he's earned infamy and more than 300,000 signatures on a petition demanding he be recalled. I hope it works.

Rape culture persists when perpetrators — especially white, athletic, good-looking ones — receive kid-glove treatment from judges who follow the old adage "boys will be boys." It endures while well-meaning people explain away the sexual violence of their loved ones.

But thanks to Turner's
"20 minutes of action,"
rape culture has also returned to prominence as
a war cry. It's been given
new weight, and been
rooted again in reality. The
truth: A father excuses
every assault when he excuses the one committed
by his son.

A balloon ride taught me to not be defined by illness

I don't want to

be the sum of my

medical issues.



Samantha Emann Metro | Toronto

If you had asked me two years ago whether I would go for a ride in a hot air balloon, I would have laughed.

But here I was, in Kitchener, Ont. at 5 a.m., listening to a pilot tell a group of soon-tobe passengers, myself included, how to brace for bumpy landing as we prepared to be lifted thousands of feet into the air.

I was there
to participate
in Parkinson
Canada's Life
Lists Challenge campaign where
one could find
themselves
doing other bucket-list type

things like skydiving and bungee jumping.

Participants raised muchneeded money for research on a disease for which there is no known cure, for public education and to help support the more than 100,000 Canadians living with it. This event was unique, as you got to be inspired by a partner with Parkinson's, putting a human face to the fundraising efforts.

The world watched iconic figures like the late Muhammad Ali live with Parkinson's, but not let it define them. Ali will be remembered for his accomplishments and his many contributions to the society and time in which he lived, not for the tremors that affected him later in life.

Jon Collins, the organizer of the campaign, said the balloon challenge seemed to be relatable for all age groups for different reasons. He said the idea of doing something you want to tick off your bucket list would be a new way to engage younger people, particularly millennials.

"This could be you, this could be me, at this exact stage in my life looking to raise a young family, working hard on my career and then (facing) a diagnosis that I was absolutely not expecting."

Though Parkinson's affects everyone differently, some symptoms include tremors and problems with balance

and motor skills. The invisible symptoms of the disease, from fatigue to sleep disorders to other mental health issues, are equally challenging but not

as often talked about.

That fact struck a chord with me.

After enduring bouts with depression and still fighting with anxiety, I am familiar with what it means to suffer from symptoms that aren't apparent to others. And having grappled with recent lifealtering issues arising from my weight, I understand what it means to feel like you are fighting your own body.

I don't want to be the sum of my medical issues. I used to think going up in a hot air balloon would be out of the question. But after this? Sign me up for the next challenge!

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Details about bucket-listworthy events coming up in Halifax, Winnipeg and Ontario can be found at Lifelistschallenge.ca



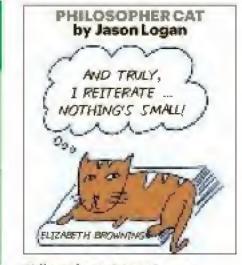
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Park the skepticism — coffee pairs surprisingly well with fresh salad vinaigrettes as well as the tanginess of limes when used as a rub for grilled chicken legs. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

CAFFEINE KICKS

Dinner plates full of beans can counter sleepy summer

As the days stretch toward summer solstice on June 20 and the weather starts making all of us sleepy, try adding a zip to your cooking with coffee. In addition to an extra caffeine hit, you'll also taste the warm, bitter aromas of coffee that go very well with some unlikely warm-weather dishes.

It's already a given that coffee intensifies cocoa (try adding espresso powder to chocolate cake batter) and that it's an essential ingredient in desserts like tiramisu, but consider the flavour profile of coffee: bitter, slightly acidic and earthy.

Use it to balance out citrus and vinegary flavours; complement the smoky taste of smoked meats or grilled vegetables; contrast sugary desserts like ice cream and custards (affogato, anyone?); and enhance the nuttiness of caramels and

Summer is all about grilling, citrus notes and using the oven as least as possible. These recipes for a coffee-infused meal will keep you buzzed well-past the sunset.

Grilled Asparagus Salad with Coffee Vinaigrette

Coffee and asparagus have more in common than you think. In the U.S. during the late 19th century when trade routes were disrupted by the Civil War, newspaper articles suggested using the seeds inside the red berries of the asparagus plant in lieu of coffee beans. When dried, roasted and ground, the seeds apparently had the same full-bodied aroma and taste of coffee. We're pairing crisp, grassy grilled asparagus with a vinaigrette infused with coffee to add a bitter, nutty flavour that mellows out the vinegar and compliments

the sweetness of charred vegetables. If you're skeptical about adding coffee to vinaigrettes, you would be far from alone but it actually pairs surprisingly well. Any vegetable will do, as long as it's hearty enough to withstand the grill.

(Makes 6 servings)

Ingredients:

- 1/3 cup (80 mL) olive oil, plus more for brushing vege-
- 1 tsp (5 mL) maple syrup or honey
- 1 tsp (5 mL) instant coffee granules
- 3 tbsp (45 mL) apple cider vinegar Salt and pepper, to taste
- 1 lb (450 g) trimmed asparagus
- 2 quartered red peppers, stem, seeds and ribs re-
- 1 sliced medium red onion
- 6 spring onions, white parts only

Directions:

- 1. In a bowl, whisk together olive oil, maple syrup, coffee and vinegar until coffee has dissolved. Season with salt and pepper. Set aside.
- 2. Lightly brush vegetables with oil and season with salt and pepper.
- 3. On a medium-hot grill or a grill pan over mediumhigh heat, grill vegetables, flipping occasionally until tender and slightly charred, about 5 minutes.

Grilled Lime and Coffee Chicken Legs

Lime marinades and coffee rubs are popular flavour choices for barbecues; try combining them for a complex, zesty way to flavour chicken legs.

The tanginess of lime hits the tongue but then the bittersweet coffee-sugar rub starts to shine.

(Makes 6 servings)

Ingredients:

- 1/4 cup (60 ml.) fine coffee grounds
- 2 tbsp (30 mL) salt
- · 2 tbsp (30 mL) sweet pap-
- 2 tbsp (30 mL) brown sugar
- 1 1/2 tbsp (22 mL) black pepper
- Juice and zest of 4 limes 2 finely minced garlic
- cloves 6 bone-in, skin-on chicken legs, trimmed of excess fat and skin, rinsed and patted
- dry with paper towels · Chopped cilantro, for garnish
- Lime slices, for garnish

Directions:

- 1. In a large resealable plastic bag, add coffee, salt, paprika, brown sugar, black pepper, lime juice and zest and garlic. Massage bag to mix evenly. Add chicken, seal bag and massage to marinate chicken. Refrigerate for minimum two hours or overnight.
- 2. When ready to cook, remove chicken from bag and

brush off excess rubs.

- 3. If using a charcoal grill, arrange coals on one side of grill and bring to mediumhigh heat. If using a gas grill, turn off one burner after grill has reached mediumhigh temperature. Sear chicken legs on hot side of grill for 4 to 5 minutes per side. Transfer to cool side of grill and cover, flipping occasionally until legs are fully cooked with an internal temperature of 165 F (75 C), about 20 to 25 minutes.
- 4. If not using outdoor grill, sear legs on a grill pan over medium-high hear. Turn heat down to medium, cover and flip occasionally until fully cooked.
- 5. Remove from heat and transfer to serving platter.
- **6.** Garnish with lime slices and chopped cilantro. Let rest for 5 minutes before serving.

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

So long Lassie, hello baby Ella

ANIMALS

Pet 'parents' taking a page out of human name books

Erin Kobayashi Special to Torstar

In April, model Chrissy Teigen announced the birth of her daughter, Luna, with John Legend. I love the name Luna, it's feminine, celestial and easy to pronounce in many languages.

It's also the name of my dog because Luna is clearly a dog name. It's an even better cat name (the Harry Potter and Sailor Moon reference became so popular that Toronto Cat Rescue advised fosters to stop naming their cats Luna). Or so I thought.

I began thinking of Luna's

canine playmates and the list sounded like a kindergarten attendance sheet: Sophia, Ella, Riley, Oliver and Jack, and noticed that the top licensed cat, and even more so, dog names seemed to be taking cues from BabyCenter.ca's most popular baby names lists.

When my friend revealed that Edith was the front-runner name for her baby, I could only think of an acquaintance's hyperactive miniature pinscher-pug mix named Edith who appeared to run battery operated.

Are the days of Fido and Lassie dog-gone? While traditional dog and cat names like Buddy and Coco still rank high among licensed pets, I'm guessing their owners may be mature in age. Let's face it, you don't have to be a spring chicken to become a pet "parent." And I understand the appeal of modern baby names for dog owners because unlike cat owners, we are constantly addressing them



We are still trying to figure out what a pet is.

James K. Stanescu

in public.

In a 2011 poll by Purina Dog Chow, 90 per cent of owners considered their dogs members of the family, so it isn't surprising pet owners are favouring trendy baby names since, culturally, they hold a special place in our hearts (and unique space in our homes).

"Companion animals are not wild animals, nor are they domesticated in the sense of farm animals. So, we have pets, which are like mini-humans to us," explains James K. Stanescu, a lecturer specializing in animal and environmental ethics in Philosophy at American University in Washington, D.C.

According to the same 2011



Erin Kobayashi with her dog Luna, who shares a name with the new (human) daughter of Chrissy Teigen. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

survey, 40 per cent of owners refer to themselves as "mom" and "dad" to their canine companions and I have noticed that descriptors like "fur baby," "practice baby," "first born" and "the roommate" are widely used.

"I think we have slowly tended to want to see pets as more of a member of the family," says Stanescu, "We give them more human names, as opposed to the old nicknames

that we give to farm animals. But we also avoid calling them

"They are fur babies, roommates, etc. We are still trying to figure out what a pet is, as opposed to a wild animal or a farm animal, both of which are categories that go back thousands of years."

While Stanescu points out that giving names to animals helps us recognize them as individuals, calling them fur

babies and roommates is a stretch — considering our pets lack basic human rights.

"I think we have hard ethical choices we have to make about what it means to live with other animals that we have complete control over," Stanescu says.

"I worry that calling them fur babies or children or roommates is a way of dodging this really complicated ethical activ-ITY." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE



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Getting summer road-trip ready

You've packed, mapped your route and booked your stay. So you think you're ready for your summer road trip? Not so fast. "There's actually quite a bit to do in preparation of a road trip," explains Steve Kee, spokesperson for the Insurance Bureau of Canada. "You need to prepare your home and your car to keep you and your belongings safe while you travel." Here's a list of dos and don'ts

Michelle Williams

Your home

 DO let your neighbours know you're leaving.

While you don't want the world to know you'll be going out of town, there are some key people to advise of your plans. "Get to know your neighbours. They can check on your place while you're gone and make sure everything is okay," says Kee. They can collect your mail, pick up any newspapers or other items left at your door, and give the place a look-over every day or two on your behalf. "You can also ask them to occasionally park in your driveway so it looks as though someone is there." Don't forget to give them your contact information so they can reach you in an emergency.



Put the inside and outside lights on a timer to give the appearance that you're home

Steve Kee, Insurance Bureau of Canada

 DON'T share your travel plans and holiday photos on social media.

As much as we all love to share our vacation pictures. it can leave you vulnerable. "Someone with less than good intentions could be watching your posts."

 DO give your house a livedin feel.

"Install motion sensor lights or put the inside and outside lights on a timer to give the appearance that you're home."

 DON'T make things easy on crooks.

Put jewelry and other valuables in a safety-deposit box, a wall safe or at least someplace where thieves will be less likely to find them.

 DO consider disconnecting expensive electronics.

This is in case your home experiences a power outage followed by a surge when the electricity goes back on, which can ruin electronics. "It's a good. idea to unplug unless you have surge protectors."

 DON'T be overly obvious about packing your vehicle.

Consider packing up in the garage, or if you don't have one, "back your car into the driveway so it's not so obvious that you're heading out on vacation."

DO a home inventory.

Write it all down and take photos, or do a video walkthrough before you leave town. "If someone breaks in, you have all your belongings documented. This is important for insurance purposes." If you haven't checked your coverage in a while, this could be a good time to do a review.

 DON'T forget to set your security system.

Surprisingly, although people pay a monthly fee for these services, some vacationers won't set their alarm before they leave for fear of false alarms. "If you have a system, set it. That's what it's there for."

Your vehicle

 DO make sure your car is ready for the road.

"Be sure it's had a recent tune up, your brakes are in good condition and your tires are roadworthy," says Kee.



Here's what Steve Kee, spokesperson for the Insurance Bureau of Canada, recommends you keep in your car when you're embarking on a summer road trip:

- First-aid kit (be sure it includes bandages, tape, gauze pads, antiseptic wipes, pain-relief medication, possibly an EpiPen)
- Tools to cut off a seat belt or crack a car window in an emergency
- Jumper cables
- Fire extinguisher
- Tire gauge (to check tire) pressure)
- Tire sealant (a quick way) to fix a hole in a tire)
- Rope for towing

- Blanket
- · Flashlight and replacement batteries
- Road flares
- · Whistle
- Spare change (but keep) it out of sight - believe it or not, people will break into your car just for change)
- Phone charger
- Roadside assistance membership card
- Food that won't spoil, like energy bars
- Water bottles

Get your fluid levels checked and check your wiper blades. Make sure your tires are property inflated to reduce the likelihood of roadside problems, and be sure your battery terminals are clean in case you need to charge your battery.

· DON'T forget your docu-

Make sure you have your driver's license, your insurance papers and your vehicle ownership.

· DO pack safely.

If you carry items in a rooftop cargo carrier, be sure it's installed correctly and not too heavy. Use it to carry lightweight bulky items.

· DON'T forget to pack an emergency road kit.

See "What goes in an emergency road kit?"

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THE CHECKLIST 2016 FORD F-150

THE BASICS

Engine: 2.7L EcoBoost V6 Power: 325 hp.

Transmission: Six-speed automatic.

Pricing: \$48,000 as tested.



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 Slightly rough ride. Mirrors on the standard model should be bigger

F-150 takes over roles friends used to have

Stephen Elmer AutoGuide.com



No longer do you need a second set of eyes to check your trailer lights; the F-150 will do it for you. Need a buddy to hold a flashlight so you can work in the dark? Nope. The truck's mirrormounted spotlights and bedmounted LED lights will take care of illuminating your work.

Trying to back up a big trailer by yourself? Ford's new truck even makes that a breeze with almost no experience necessary.

The truck can even give you a massage. Now, if only the F-150 could pick up the next round of beers, it might be an even better friend than most!

Though its all-new aluminum body stole the headlines when the redesigned F-150 hit the market, the changes to this truck are more than just skin deep. And the strength of this package starts with the powertrain.

Our test truck came equipped with Ford's 2.7-litre EcoBoost V6, a turbocharged unit that is billed as a smaller and more economical option than the topdog 3.5-litre EcoBoost. It makes 325 hp, but burying the throttle launches the truck with much more force than the numbers

In fact, gun to my head, I

might be hard pressed to tell you if it is the 2.7-litre or the 3.5-litre engine providing power when the trucks are unloaded.

Besides being fast without a load, the turbos help to bring the torque on low in the rev range, providing good pulling power to get your trailer or payload on the move. The only downside to EcoBoost - and it has been since the first version of Ford's turbocharged engines were introduced - is fuel economy. While the official ratings peg this truck at 8.1 km/L combined, seeing averages of closer to 7.2 km/L isn't uncommon.

What really stands out on the F-150 is its handling. More so than any other half-ton pickup truck, the F-150 corners nice and tight, feeling light on its feet.

Big, heavy vehicles have a tendency to push wide through long sweeping corners, whereas the F-150 tucks in and urges you to keep on turning the wheel.

If it was pickup truck day at the race track, the F-150 will most certainly provide the most fun and least understeer.

For 2016, there is a new system that can't be ignored; Pro-Trailer Backup Assist.

In short, the system allows you to control the movement of a trailer using a dash-mounted knob. And it works great. It takes the crossed wires out of reversing, with the left turn of the knob sending the rear of the trailer to the left.

As my dad always told me, it's better to work smart than work hard, and the F-150 is a genius when it comes to all those things that can make a hard day's work breeze by.

GADGETS

BMW 7 Series' super-fancy technology is next level



Mike Schlee AutoGuide.com

Of course, like any good flagship luxury sedan, the new 7 Series comes with all the expected technology like adaptive cruise control, head-up display, highly adjustable front power seats and a heated steering wheel. But from there, things get a bit crazy.

Available items include BMW's night vision system,

active steering, an on-board Wi-Fi hotspot, dual digital display screens up front and 360 view cameras. The driver can also use gesture controls to control basic infotainment system functions. Because pushing actual buttons? That's for plebes!

To keep occupants amused, there's a 1,400-watt Bowers & Wilkins diamond sound system that includes 16 speakers, many of which can be backlit for a bit of added flair at night. And while on the topic of lighting, fully customizable accent

lighting is available as well a sky lounge LED roof that has thousands of LED lights built into the dual moon roof.

Rear seat passengers can be entertained by dual seat back. entertainment screens that can also be used to control many of the car's primary functions. There is also a seven-inch touchscreen between the two rear seats that operates many of the same functions.

But we're not done yet. Completing the uber luxurious 750i are over-the-top features. There's the ambient air package that allows occupants to spritz one of two scents into the cabin at varying levels of strength. Then there's the massive display key that includes a mini touchscreen to relay various amounts of information and control to the driver when not at the car. And finally, in some markets, the 7 Series can park itself into a garage remotely without anyone actually being inside the car.

Why would anyone ever want to get out of the car?



From the 14-speaker sound system to adjustable air suspension to filter out most road imperfections, the 7 Series takes its tech very seriously. BMW/HANDOUT



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Don Draper's car is on the market



Hyundai readying 322 km EV

Hyundai will introduce electric vehicles with a longer range before the end of the decade. In a recent interview, Hyundai's director of its ecovehicle performance development group, Byung Ki Ahn, confirmed that a 322-killometre Hyundai electric vehicle will be introduced by 2018.

Range will go even further by 2020, when Hyundai plans on adding a 400 kilometre electric vehicle to its lineup. That's a major improvement compared to the Hyundai Ionio EV that has a 177-kilometre range. JASON SIL/ AUTOGUIDE.COM

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Trades

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Own a piece of Mad Men

Love Mad Men? Love cars? Don Draper's 1964 Chrysler Imperial is crossing the auction block. Offered by ScreenBid, the 1964 Imperial Crown convertible was used in Season 4, Episode 3 and is one of 922 Imperial Crown convertibles ever built. They're so rare now that is it believed fewer than 200 exist today, ScreenBid brags that this 1964 Chrysler Imperial is the only Imperial to boast having been smoked in by Don Draper, when he drives it to visit the real Don Draper's wife in California. There's a bit of history about the car too, as many mistakenly refer to it as a Chrysler Imperial, including local DMVs when titling the car. In fact, Imperial was a separate brand after 1955. spun off by Chrysler to compete with Lincoln and Cadillac. This particular model was penned by famous auto designer Elwood Engel. JASON SIU/AUTOGUIDE.COM

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SELF-DRIVING CARS **Drivers**

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A recent study has found that nearly half of drivers prefer to not have any self-driving features in their vehicles. University of Michigan researchers surveyed 618 drivers on their preferences with 45.8 per cent of respondents saying they prefer no self-driving. Nearly all of the respondents (94.5) per cent) said they would want to have a steering wheel plus accelerator and brake pedals or some other controls available.

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Thrilling win over Brazil

INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY

Canada pull off late theatrics in final home game before Rio

On a night when Canada chased a goal for 90 minutes, substitute lanine Beckie delivered deep into injury time Tuesday to beat Brazil.

Diana Matheson sent a high ball towards the Brazilian goal and Beckie, from outside the penalty box, lobbed substitute goalkeeper Luciana, who had just come on as a late injury replacement. It was virtually the last kick of the game and produced a dramatic 1-0 win before 23,568 fans

at Ottawa's TD TUESDAY in Ottawa Place.

"Tonight we showed a bit of grit to stay in the game and the resilience to go and win

it," said Canadian coach John Herdman.

CANADA

"We found that next gear and that's something we'll keep reminding ourselves when we hit the Olympics," he added.

It was Canada's last match on home soil before Rio and Herdman took satisfaction "this close to an Olympics that when it's tight, that we can find a way to win."

Unlike its nervy start in Saturday's 2-0 loss to the eighthranked South Americans before 28,604 at Toronto's BMO Field,



A late own goal gave Canada's men's soccer team a 2-1 win over Uzbekistan in a friendly on Tuesday in Bad Waltersdorf, Austria.

Canada was composed from the get-go Tuesday and had the better of the play against a muchchanged Brazilian starting 11.

The 10th-ranked Canadian women will return to their clubs for the rest of the month before reassembling July 1 for a camp in Vancouver. They head to France in mid-July for a closed-door game against China and then a friendly with No. 3

> France in Auxerre on July 23.

The team will leave France for Brazil, where it opens Aug. 3 against No. 5 Australia, Canada will also

face No. 2 Germany and No. 95 Zimbabwe in round-robin play.

BRAZIL

The Canadians had been after the goal all game. They pressed the action and had more and better scoring chances. As farewells go, it was a bright one with a hint of things to come.

"I think Canada was better than Brazil tonight," Brazilian coach Vadao said through an interpreter. "They made fewer mistakes, had more opportunities and they scored."

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Broncos to get a closer look at Talib's gunshot wound

Coach Gary Kubiak said Agib Talib should return Wednesday to the Denver Broncos' headquarters where team doctors can evaluate the gunshot wound in his right leg.

The cornerback missed the Broncos' visit to the White House on Monday after being shot in Dallas over the weekend.

The spectre of a banswirls around Talib, who has had firearm incidents in his

League turns to police after its Twitter hacked

The NFL has "engaged law. enforcement" to see how its Twitter account was hacked with a post purporting that commissioner Roger Goodell had died.

Around midday Tuesday, a post went up on the league's official account that read: "We regret to inform our fans that our commissioner, Roger Goodell, has passed away. He was 57," followed by a hashtag and "RIP."

Kaepernick works out

Colin Kaepernick was cleared for individual work and took on-field reps Tuesday for the first time. since undergoing multiple off-season surgeries.

The 28-year-old QB joined the rest of his 49ers teammates for a two-hour. practice and took part in almost every session except. for scrimmages.

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MLB ORIOLES SWING FOR THE FACES Kansas City righthander Yordano Ventura hit Manny Machado with a pitch to spark a bench-emptying fray and the Orioles extended the Royals' losing streak to a season-high six games with a 9-1 rout on Tuesday night in Baltimore. PATRICK MCDERMOTT/GETTY IMAGES

BASEBALL IN BRIEF

Lack of run support stops Jays' Sanchez in his tracks

lan Kinsler drove in the winning run with a 10thinning single, and the Detroit Tigers won their fifth straight game, 3-2 over the Toronto Blue Jays on Tuesday night.

The Tigers tied it with two runs in the ninth, spoiling an outstanding effort by Blue Jays starter Aaron Sanchez. The Toronto right-hander struck out a career-high 12 and took a one-hitter into the ninth inning, but he didn't get another out as Detroit rallied. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Phillies eke out win on Cubs

Jerad Eickhoff threw seven impressive innings, Ryan Howard hit a solo homer and the Philadelphia Phillies beat the Chicago Cubs 3-2 on Tuesday night.

Eickhoff (3-8) allowed one run and two hits, striking out eight. Jeanmar Gomez pitched out of a basesloaded jam in the eighth and got the final six outs for his 19th save in 20 tries.

Howard hit his ninth homer way out to rightcentre to make it 2-0 in the fourth. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Slice dead at 42

Kimbo Slice, the bearded street fighter who parlayed his Internet popularity into a mixed-martialarts career and worldwide fame, has died. He was 42.

Slice, whose real name was Kevin Ferguson, was taken to a hospital in Margate, Fla., near his home on Monday, said Coral Springs police Sgt. Carla Kmiotek

The cause of death was still unclear. Kmiotek said there is no active police investigation and no foul play is suspected.

Slice was a strip-club bouncer and bodyguard who began competing in unsanctioned street



Outside of the cage he was a friendly, gentle giant and a devoted family man.

Bellator CEO Scott Coker

fights in 2003. Videos of his violent knockout victories in those bouts became wildly popular online. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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First blood in the water

STANLEY CUP FINAL

Tendency to cede opener has San Jose on ropes in Pitt

If there is one stat that stands out as the reason the San Jose Sharks face elimination Thursday in Game 5 of the Stanley Cup final, it's this: They have yet to play with the lead in the series.

The Penguins have scored the opening goal in all four games and have not trailed in almost 255 minutes. Their only loss came in overtime in Game 3. The Sharks understand they have to play something other than catch-up hockey.

"I think we've got to find a way to (score) early and put them in the spot where they're chasing the game a little bit, which we haven't done yet," Sharks coach Pete DeBoer said during a conference call Tues-

They've been good with the lead so far," San Jose captain Joe Pavelski said. "We've battled back, but ... when we've had the lead (earlier in the playoffs), we know what it feels like and you take a little confidence from it."

As the series moved back to Pittsburgh for Game 5 on Thursday, the question for DeBoer



Martin Jones and the San Jose Sharks have yet to gain the lead in regulation versus Pittsburgh. EZRA SHAW/GETTY IMAGES

and the Sharks is, "How do they get that elusive lead?" Juggle the lineup? Change the lines?

"I don't know if switching the lines up is the answer to getting the lead," DeBoer said. "We've shortened the bench the last two games because we've been behind. It's not

ideal. (It) catches up to you, especially when you're this deep into the playoffs and have played as many games as we have and logged as many miles as we have.

"There's a saying that you dance with the girl you brought to the dance. I think that's going to probably be our approach."

It might not be the greatest vote of confidence ever heard with a championship on the line, but San Jose's leaders haven't exactly inspired much confidence. The Sharks have a mere seven goals through four games. Their scoring leader through four games is defenceman Justin Braun, with two. None of their big guns — Pavelski, Joe Thornton, Logan Couture and Brent Burns - have

keep going." While Pavelski keeps plug-

ging away — he launched the puck at the net seven times in Game 4 — Joe Thornton has been more of a puzzle. Granted,

he thinks of passing first, but he's had only one game where he shot on or at the net (including misses and blocked shots) more than three times.

And Couture in Game 4 managed just two shots on net, and another that missed. That was his highest shot-attempts total so far in the final.

"It's not an easy game," Couture said. "It's pretty tough out there to score goals. Guys are trying. We're getting chances. If we keep getting chances, you've got to believe that it's going to start going in."

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STATUS UPDATE

Hertl might not be done

There was chatter in San Jose before Game 4 that forward Tomas Hertl was finished for the season, having nursed a knee injury all season.

Sharks coach Pete DeBoer said that's not true. "Improvement every day

that I've seen him," DeBoer said Tuesday, "I term him as day-to-day. This time of year, guys find an inner strength and play with injuries. I mean, that's just what these guys do at this level. I'm not ruling him out for any games."

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There is no magic answer.

Sharks coach Pete DeBoer

managed to beat Penguins rookie goalie Matt Murray.

You know. I'm more frustrated with the wins and losses more than anything," Pavelski told reporters after Game 4. "It's different if we're (up) 3-1, and you don't have anything. That's a different story. But, right now, with the hole we're (in) ... you know a goal or two probably changes the outcome. The way it's been going for most of the post-season, I feel like I should probably have a little bit more. So you just

REMEMBERING ALI

'Muhammad had no regrets about boxing'

Muhammad Ali and his family never seriously thought of donating his brain for research, according to his doctor.

"Not really," was Dr. Abe Lieberman's answer when he was asked on Monday if submitting the brain for research was considered.

Lieberman said he didn't think boxing contributed to Ali contracting Parkinson's disease but he couldn't be "a hundred per cent" certain.

The doctor said he did not



Muhammad

hear Ali blame boxing for his illness. "Muhammad

had no regrets about boxing," Lieberman said. "He didn't really talk about All GETTY IMAGES IT that way. Muhammad

was a devout Muslim and believed that you did your best and whatever happened was God's will." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Warriors know series isn't over

Golden State has won the first two games of the NBA Finals, both of those wins coming by double figures and with a few dominant stretches of basketball in there.

Strange as this sounds, that has the Warriors feeling a bit

The champions know exactly how fast a series can change, having just pulled off a mathematically improbable comeback from 3-1 down against Oklahoma City in the Western Conference final. And even with the odds now stacked high against Cleveland in these NBA Finals, the Warriors say they cannot fall into the trap of thinking this series - that resumes with Game 3 on Wednesday night — is already over.

When the Warriors were down 3-1 in the West final against the Thunder, history suggested that they had a 3.9 per cent chance to win the series.

"That's a great analogy, one that we've already used," Warriors coach Steve Kerr said Tuesday. "It doesn't matter what the scores are, doesn't matter if you win by 25 or lose by 25, it's one game in the series. And we got blown out twice in a row in OKC, down 3-1, and we were able to come back. We know we're playing against a great team. They're coming home. They can change the momentum around with just one win."

Cleveland hopes he's right. The Cavs might be without concussed Kevin Love for Game 3, but they are 7-0 at home in these playoffs — winning by an average of 20.9 points.

"It's a do-or-die game for us," Cavaliers forward LeBron James said. "We can't afford to go down 3-0 to any team, especially a team that's 73-9 in the regular season and playing the type of basketball they're playing."

Teams that have fallen behind 2-0 in the NBA Finals have rallied to win 9.7 per cent of the time, with three of them getting it done in 31 past opportunities. The 1969 Boston Celtics, 1977 Portland Trail Blazers and 2006 Miami Heat all lost the first two games of the finals on the road before winning the title — the Celtics doing so in seven games, the Blazers and Heat getting it done in six. The associated press

Donald qualifies for next week's U.S. Open

Luke Donald went two extra holes to join four other players earning a spot in the U.S. Open after a playoff Tuesday



who has been eligible for every U.S. Open since 2005, made two pars in the six-man playoff in the Ohio qualifier that featured the strongest field. The others advancing were Patrick Rodgers, Jason Allred, Richard Schembechler II and Texas Longhorns

sophomore Scottie Scheffler. Daniel Summerhays was eliminated when he missed a five-foot putt on the second playoff hole. He was the first alternate.

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IN BRIEF

Tiger passing on Oakmont

For the third time in the past six years, the U.S. Open will go on without three-time champion Tiger Woods.

Woods said on his website Tuesday that he is: not ready for tournament competition and will skip. the U.S. Open next week at Oakmont, along with his Quicken Loans National the following week at Congressional.

Woods had surgeries on his back in September and October. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

RECIPE Salmon Tray Bake



Ceri Marsh & Laura Keogh For Metro Canada

There is no better strategy to get dinner on the table than to cook everything together. It's why we love a tray bake, especially this one since it delivers roasted flavor for the veggies and potatoes and flakey salmon.

Ready in

Prep time: 10 minutes Serves: 4

Ingredients

- 2 new potatoes
- 3 Thep olive oil
- 2 tsp fresh or dried thyme
- Salt and pepper
- · 4 salmon filets
- 1 bundle of asparagus, washed and trimmed
- 20 cherry tomatoes
- Big squeeze of lemon juice

Directions

- Preheat the oven to 375 F.
- 2. Line a rimmed baking sheet with parchment.
- 3. Thinly slice potatoes and scatter them across baking sheet. Season with 2 tbsp of clive oil, pinch of salt, pepper and thyme. Place in oven for 15 minutes.
- 4. Remove tray from oven, Increase heat to 400 degrees. Lay the salmon filets over the potatoes and add the asparagus and tomatoes. Return to oven for 10 to 15 minutes, or until salmon is cooked.
- Remove from oven. Squeeze. lemon juice over the whole pan and serve.

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62. Ms. MacDowell 63. Frequently, to a poet 64. Tuscan city 65. Dim 66. "NSYNC hit, when repeated 67. Fretfull

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1. Curses S-shaped mouldings 3. Uniquely-spelled

song by California band UFE 4. 1970s superheroine goddess TV series Cuba-originated

ballroom dance

6. Paparazzi-snapped stylish stars/jetsetters aka The Beautiful People 7. Washington's baseball team [abbr.] 8. Baseball star

Sammy Rebecca_(Canadian actress who stars

on #46-Across) 10._ of London (Insurance market) 11. Ms. Turtumo of "The Sopranos" 12. Depilatory brand 13. Mr. Fehr of The Murmmy' movies 18. Eucalyptus-loving marsupial 21. Mork's greeting, when doubled 25. Wales/England river 26. "Do you have some time?": 3 wds. 27. Ox-eyed goddess 28. All square 29. Cookies brand 30. Curve 31. "Farewell!" 32. Egypt: Temple of Horus at_ 34. Quebec 'wheat' 37.Employee's range of abilities: 2 wds. 40. "_ Maria" 43. "Hot cross buns! _ penny, two..." 44. Gilbert and Rue 47.Mr. Hoffman 49. Nobel-winning 'Mother' 51. _ greens (Crisper contents) 52. Sacred choral piece 53. Buck of "Hee Haw" 54. Composition 55. Termis' Steffi 56. Eugene O'Neill's daughter 57. Character in "Diana" (2013) 58. Door _

59. Sky-to-Earth

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tor, Elias_

45. Delivery vehicles

drama on Global TV

46. "_ & Doyle", crime

T Aries March 21 - April 20 This is the perfect day to plan a vacation or make plans regarding the education of children. You might begin the necessary factual foundation for a creative project.

Taurus April 21 - May 21 Sit down with family members to plan how to improve your home or how to help a family member. People are in a sensible mood.

II Gemini May 22 - June 21 You're in a practical frame of mind, which is why this is a good day to tackle routine tasks you have been avoiding. Roll up your sleeves and get down to it.

Cancer June 22 - July 23 If shopping today, you will want to buy only long-lasting, practical items. You also will work hard, with a thought of saving for the future.

Leo July 24 - Aug. 23 The Moon is in your sign today, which makes you more emotional than usual. This also makes you luckier than usual. Use this to your advantage!

Virgo Aug. 24 - Sept. 23 This is an excellent day to do research, because you will persevere and find what you're looking for. You'll be like a dog with a bone!

Libra Sept. 24 - Oct. 23 Listen to the advice of someone more experienced today, because it will be valuable. After all, you don't have to reinvent the wheel. (Plus, you don't have to follow what he or she says,)

III. Scorpio Oct. 24 - Nov. 22 You make a great impression on bosses, parents, teachers and VIPs today. Because you are conscientious and hardworking, they will love you!

★ Sagittarius Nov. 23 - Dec. 21. This is a great day to study or finish a school paper. You will make great headway in matters related to publishing, the media, medicine and the law.

Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20 Use today's energy to clear away loose details regarding taxes, debt, insurance matters and inheritances. Listen to someone's advice about shared property.

Aquarius Jan. 21 - Feb. 19 This is a good day to sit down with spouses, partners and close friends and have a serious discussion about practical matters. You will see that by keeping things orderly, it will be easier for everyone in the future.

H Pisces

Feb. 20 - March 20 It's easy to work hard today, because you have the right mind-set. Physical discomfort is less important. Getting the job done is what matters.

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